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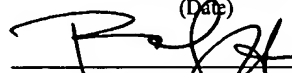
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Dear Sir:

Our file for the subject application reveals that there has been no action in this application since we received the Notice of Publication on March 24, 2005.

Please inform us as to the status of this application.

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